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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:	Weber	Confirmation No.:	8254
Serial No.:	10/004,954	Art Unit:	3731
Filed:	December 3, 2001	Examiner:	Vy Q. Bui
For:	MEDICAL DEVICE HAVING A COATED PORTION	Attorney Docket No:	10177-102-999 :
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated February 24, 2004 ("the Office Action"), please enter the following remarks into the file of the above-identified application.

Submitted herewith is a Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the time for response for three (3) months from May 24, 2004, up to and including, August 24, 2004, with provision for fee.

No additional fee is believed to be due in connection with the filing of this Response. Should any such fees be required, please charge such fees to Jones Day deposit account no. 503013.